

## Message Text

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TAGS: ETRD, AS  
SUBJ: AUSTRALIAN IMPORT RESTRICTIONS: REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY  
PROTECTION AGAINST IMPORTS OF SPARK IGNITION INDUSTRIAL ENGINES

1. DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE (DIC) HAS ADVISED THAT IT HAS RECEIVED A REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY PROTECTION AGAINST IMPORTS OF SPARK IGNITION INDUSTRIAL ENGINES FALLING WITHIN AUSTRALIAN CUSTOMS TARIFF ITEMS 84.06.719 AND 84.06.910. SUBMISSIONS FROM INTERESTED PARTIES ON THE QUESTION OF TEMPORARY PROTECTION AGAINST IMPORTS ARE INVITED, AND SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO DIC BEFORE JULY 20, 1978.

2. THE U.S. IS A MAJOR SUPPLIER OF THESE ENGINES. MOST IMPORTS FROM THE U.S. COME IN FREE OF DUTY UNDER BY-LAW.

3. REQUESTS FOR TEMPORARY PROTECTION ARE INITIALLY RECEIVED AND CONSIDERED BY DIC, AFTER WHICH THEY MAY BE REFERRED TO TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY (TAA) FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATION AND RECOMMENDATION. IF DIC SUBSEQUENT TO JULY 20 DECIDES TO REFER CASE TO TAA, LATER WOULD BE REQUIRED TO PRESENT ITS REPORT WITHIN 45 DAYS OF DATE OF REFERENCE.

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4. USDOC MAY WISH TO NOTIFY THIS ACTION TO APPROPRIATE U.S. MANUFACTURERS AND EXPORTERS. POSTS MAY WISH TO ALERT AUSTRALIAN AGENTS AND DISTRIBUTORS.  
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